BEFORE THE COMMISSION ON STATE MANDATES STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of:

Amendments to California Code of Regulations, Title 2, Division 2, Chapter 2.5, Articles 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 10

No. 17-01

ORDER TO INITIATE RULEMAKING **PROCEEDINGS**

General Cleanup Provisions (clarifying regulations, eliminating duplicative language, and updating authority and reference citations)

Pursuant to California Code of Regulations, title 2, section 1189.2, the Commission on State Mandates (Commission) hereby adopts this order to institute rulemaking proceedings in accordance with Government Code sections 11346.2, 11346.4, 11346.8, and 11346.9.

PROPOSED REGULATORY ACTION. The Commission proposes revised language, punctuation, and citations in Articles 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 10 of the California Code of Regulations, Division 2, Title 2, Chapter 2.5 with a proposed effective date of January 1, 2018.

AUTHORITY AND REFERENCE. Government Code section 17527(g) authorizes the Commission to adopt the proposed regulations. The purpose of this rulemaking is to clarify Commission regulations, eliminate duplicative language, and update authority and reference citations.

WRITTEN COMMENT PERIOD. Any interested person, or his or her authorized representative, may submit written comments relevant to the proposed regulatory action to the Commission. The Commission will only consider written comments received at the Commission's office by 5:00 p.m. on July 24, 2017. Submit comments to:

> Jill Magee, Program Analyst Commission on State Mandates 980 Ninth Street, Suite 300 Sacramento, CA 95814 Phone: (916) 323-3562

Written comments may be submitted electronically via the Commission website "Drop Box" at: http://www.csm.ca.gov/dropbox.php

PUBLIC HEARING. The Commission will hold a hearing on July 28, 2017, if it receives a written request for a public hearing from any interested person, or his or her authorized representative, no later than July 10, 2017.

Date: 5/26//4 By:

Heather Halsey, Executive Director